

English 0066: Thoughts and Notions Course Vocabulary List Spring, 2005-2006

The words in these lists are in approximate order from the beginning to the end of the reading.

OJO!! There are some collocation exercises (to help you learn what words go together) in the file called "Food Exercises and Kay", available on WebCT.

FOOD VOCABULARY

3.1 The Puffer Fish

1-1000	1001-2000	Cognates	Above 2000
person/people			
dangerous	avoid		
food	sick, get sick	on purpose	deadly
fish			
die			
allow			
touch			
			insides (n)
contain	poison, poisonous	contain	
powerful			
happen			
feel, felt, felt	customer		chef
train (v)	meal	remove	remove
give, gave, given			
miss			
small			
amount			
safe			
expensive		cost, cost, cost	
besides			
body	ugly		puff up
size			blow itself up
taste		risk	

Auxiliary Verbs with Meaning:

There is one food that **may** be deadly.

It **can** puff itself up.

(possibly)

(is able to)

Words that go together:

get sick

in fact

feel great

not safe to eat

all over X (all over its body, all over the world)

double its normal size

Some people like taking risks / driving fast etc.

3.2 Foods from Around the World

1-1000	1001-2000	Cognates	Above 2000
well known			
familiar (known)		familiar (known)	
unfamiliar			
traveler			
try (food)	fun		
foreign	taste		
	cheese		
come, came, come			
drink, drank, drunk	cattle	rare	dairy (products)
arrive	hate		
like + noun	ice cream		
love (food)			
travel			
hear, heard, heard			
see, saw, seen	find out, found, found	order (food)	shark
remember			
enjoy	frightened		
	forbid, forbade, forbidden		beef
	meat		
	cow		
	holy		
teach, taught, taught			
give, gave, given	egg	appearance	
say, said, said	inside		
put, put, put	fresh	chemical	
earth	bury		
touch (food)			scary
	fun		

Auxiliary Verbs with Meaning:

may not be familiar

new foods **might** contain beef

I **can't** eat X.

Life in a new country **can** be scary.

it is possible that they are not familiar

it is possible they contain beef

it is impossible for me to eat X, it is not possible,

it is possible

Words that go together:

almost always

get to try

made from X

I try it on purpose.

I didn't like their appearance at all !!!

for X months/days/years

Would you eat/order X?

have the opportunity to try

used for emphasis

3.3 Chocolate

1-1000	1001-2000	Cognates	Above 2000
sweet once (at one time in the past)	bitter		sweetened candy
just (only)	frozen		dessert
hot (picante)	meal sauce		main course
tree	pour chicken cacao beans taste (v) and (n)	spices	chili peppers
value (v) money come, came, come	run away	ancient	grind, ground, ground
strong (drink) think, thought, thought			
	sugar take back (carry back)	sugar	
discover	wealthy drink, drank, drank drink (n)	discover remove	remove
heat(v) make, made, made later	health century		sweetened snack
besides hot (caliente)	mix taste (n)		pie sundae fudge
		sauce	

Auxiliary Verbs with Meaning:

Chocolate **can** be a hot drink etc.

possible

Now people **could** both eat and drink chocolate.

were able to

Words that go together

We think of chocolate as ... (something sweet)

a long time ago

Cacao beans taste so bitter that OR (taste so good that)

The word comes from ...

They thought it was good for ... (their health)

like X even better – The people liked the taste of milk chocolate even better.

of course

3.4 The Blue Revolution

1-1000	1001-2000	Cognates	Above 2000
world increase earth (on earth) enough food shortage scientist fish farming worry raise wild supply already			
		solve	
		unfortunately	environmental one-third plant-eating meat-eating farm-raised salmon
become, became, become	decrease	extinct	unhealthy (healthy)
		critics	criticize
spread, spread, spread	disease	contain chemical method	criticism pollute deep-ocean
instead of put, put, put			
	cage damage		feed, fed, fed environment

Auxiliary Verbs with Meaning:

there could be	There might be / It is possible that
fish farming could solve this problem	is one possibility to solve the problem
X could become extinct	
fish farms should be moved far out into the ocean	used with opinions
fish farms might be large cages	possible
fish farming may help to feed millions of people	possible
fish farming may damage the environment	possible

Words that go together

by + date (by 2020)
live on = eat
it takes up to X to produce Y
a good and a bad side to ...
like most things...
at the same time

3-5 Twenty-one Days Without Food

1-1000	1001-2000	Cognates	Above 2000
need in order to however			
allow hope powerful	(political) tool	during political reasons protest injustice	fast (v) fast (n) fasting (n)
(not) everyone	holiday	spiritual practice	goal sunrise sunset
think, thought, thought illness			
cold (n) stop (eating) go away last (v) choose	health	discover indigestion	overeating headache stomachache

Auxiliary Verbs with Meaning:

choosing to go without food **can** be very dangerous

possible

Words that go together

in the early Xth century
 X weren't allowed to vote
 go on a fast
 bring attention to
 go without food = to fast
 working conditions
 of course
 make (someone) feel better
 X is the best medicine for ...
 this made (something) go away
 last + time expression e.g. last 12 days
 X makes (a person) alert/energetic
 stop (a person) from doing something